

PROGRESSIVE CLOTHES

After the sheep has filled his obligation of providing sufficient fine, even wool, and after the man who is bent upon producing a fabric of prescribed weight and quality has decided with microscopical tests and a series of practical experiments what pastures are to supply his material, then the specialists in the factories begin their series of complex duties, which do not end for an instant until the garment is ready to clothe the purchaser. All these together with perfect fitting garments, are the kind we offer the public.



Men's Two and Three Piece Suits, \$5.00 to \$20.00.

We invite you to come in and look at these suits.

Boy's Clothing

Knee Pant Suits	\$1.00 to \$5.00
Long Pant Suits	\$3.00 to \$8.50
Boys' Knee Pants	25c to \$1.00
Boys' Caps, Boys' Shirts, Boys' Collars, Boys' Hose, Boys' Ties.	



MEN'S Furnishings

Come to us for anything in the way of New Shirts, New Neckwear, New Collars, New Hosiery, Stylish Footwear, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Underwear, etc.

Henley and Biles,
ONE PRICE SPOT CASH.

WILL USE KANSAS OIL.

Battleship Kansas will be christened in July with Crude Oil Instead of Champagne.

Topeka, Kan., March 24.—The battleship Kansas will be christened by breaking a bottle of Kansas crude oil over its prow in the place of a bottle of champagne, as is the usual custom. This is the idea of Governor Hoch, as expressed by him Thursday.

The statement was made in a conversation with A. D. Eddy, general counsel for the Standard Oil company, who is here from Chicago.

Mr. Eddy, in company with Carl J. Evans, the Standard's attorney in Kansas, called on the governor and made an appointment. "The last time I saw you, governor," remarked Mr. Eddy, "you expected to make a trip east this spring to attend the launching of your battleship." "That has been postponed until July," said Gov. Hoch, "so I will not have to go this spring." "I would like to attend the launching and see you break a bottle of champagne over the Kansas," remarked Mr. Evans. "The Kansas will not be christened with champagne," quickly responded the governor. "It will be christened with a bottle of oil—not Standard oil or independent oil, but just Kansas oil—Kansas crude oil."

Court Appointed its Own Physicians.

Guthrie, O. T., March 24.—A sensation was sprung in the district court here when Judge Pancost appointed Doctors Barker and Smith to make an examination of Charles E. Billingsley, president of the defunct Capitol National bank which failed for over \$1,000,000 last year, and to ascertain whether or not he is physically incapacitated to attend court.

VENEZUELAN IMBROGLIO.

Agreement Between Castro and German and English Bondholders Already Signed.

CLAIMS PROTOCOL JUSTIFIES ACTION.

Secretary of Foreign Bondholders Says Agreement is Only a Step Toward Final Settlement—Fonded Venezuelan President Very Business Like—Ambassador Porter and Minister Delcasse Confer.

London, March 24.—The Associated Press has learned at the office of the council of foreign bondholders that the agreement between the Venezuelan government and the British and German bondholders adjusting and consolidating the exterior debt, about \$28,600,000, has already been signed by the representatives of Venezuela and the German bondholders. The agreement is now on its way to London for the signature of the representatives of the British bondholders.

With reference to a dispatch from Washington reporting that objections are raised to the agreement, Secretary Cooper, of the council of foreign bondholders, said he considers that article of the Washington protocol of 1905 absolutely justifies the agreement and adds:

"During the negotiations we found President Castro to be perfectly business-like and animated by a desire to effect a settlement."

Mr. Cooper pointed out, however, that the signing of the agreement was only one step towards a settlement, since the document contains clauses relating to other creditors, but the provisions of which it was desired to keep secret, but which he said must first be fulfilled before a settlement with the Anglo-German bondholders can become an accomplished fact.

Situation Relieved.

Paris, March 24.—In the course of Ambassador Porter's weekly visit to the foreign office he conferred with Foreign Minister Delcasse relative to the Franco-Venezuelan situation and it was disclosed that the French government considers that the emergency of the situation has been entirely relieved as a result of the indefinite postponement of the decision of the Caracas court in the case of the French cable company. The future course is expected to be slow owing to the necessity for carrying on negotiations by mail. The authorities here share the belief concerning the hopelessness of the present regime in Venezuela and incline to the view that sooner or later some united means may have to be taken to insure respect for foreign interests in Venezuela.

Duke of Connaught at Madrid.

Madrid, March 24.—The Duke of Connaught has arrived here to visit King Alfonso. The king, with all his ministers, the civil and military authorities and the diplomatic corps welcomed the duke on his arrival at the railroad station.

German Emperor on a Cruise.

Copenhagen, March 24.—Emperor William has started on his Mediterranean cruise on board the steamer Hamburg placed at his disposal by the Hamburg-American line. The Hamburg was escorted by the armored cruiser Prinz Friedrich Karl.

Mexican Ambassador Ill.

Washington, March 24.—Don Manuel de Aspiaz, the Mexican ambassador, is seriously ill with a severe attack of Lagrippe and other complications and his family are greatly concerned over his condition.

Russian Peasants Shot Down.

Kutno, Russian Poland, March 24.—Ten peasants were killed and fifty were wounded at Lamenta March 21 as the result of the shooting of infantry sent to quell disturbances.

PEACE MAY BE IMMINENT

Associated Press Hears on High Authority That an Actual Step is About to be Taken.

PROPOSALS ARE TO BE MADE TO JAPAN

Russian Government Now Certain That First Move Must Come From Them and in Case of Success, as He Alone is Capable of Binding Russia—Influence of France and Germany for Peace.

St. Petersburg, March 24.—The ministers and supporters of the court who advocate the submission of pacific proposals to Japan as previously set forth in these dispatches so as to ascertain whether an honorable basis of peace is possible believe they have carried the day and the Associated press hears on high authority that an actual step is imminent if not already taken.

The subject has occupied the attention of the conference at Tsarskoe-Selo, certain grand dukes, supported by Gen. Sakharoff, the minister of war; Admiral Avellan, the head of the admiralty, and what is known as the war party, are still bitterly opposed to the idea of peace under present circumstances, but with the exception of the ministers of war and marine, the emperor's ministers, backed by M. Witte, solidly favor this course and the convincing arguments they offer are telling. French influence in the same direction are now being supported by German opinion. The rumor noted by the Associated press last week that Emperor William had tendered his good offices now seems to be confirmed.

The Associated press is in a position to assert, however, that if Emperor Nicholas decides to approach Japan it will be through France and that negotiations will be conducted either between M. Delcasse, the French foreign minister, and Dr. Montono, the Japanese minister at Paris, or M. Harmand, the French minister to Japan and Count Katsura, the Japanese premier at Tokio.

The Russian government now feels certain that Japan will not take the first move nor disclose her position until overtures are made authoritatively in the Russian emperor's name on the ground that he alone is capable of binding Russia. It is quite possible that Japan's attitude in this regard has been exposed through unofficial attempts to ascertain terms. Japan, it will be remembered, took the same position when Herr Detring, the German commissioner of customs at Tien Tsin without plenary powers, sought to obtain Japan's terms for ending the China-Japanese war, declining to treat until Li Hung Chang, accompanied by Gen. John W. Foster went to Tokio clothed with full powers. Furthermore, in view of the possibility that no basis of agreement might result even should the emperor now approach Japan with pacific proposals, it is regarded as entirely likely that hostilities would continue, again following the precedent of the China-Japanese war, until negotiations ended. The China-Japanese negotiations were begun in December and peace was concluded in the following April. Meanwhile the Japanese made a winter campaign in Manchuria.

Washington Not Surprised.

Washington, March 24.—The sudden den growth of the sentiment in Russian official circles in favor of peace is not at all surprising to the officials here because it is in line with the predictions of the American embassy in St. Petersburg when last heard from on this subject. In fact, it was gathered that the real obstacles in the way of beginning negotiations to this end were to be found rather in the jealousies of European powers outside of Russia than in the czar's own court. There have for some time been substantial evidence that by the execution of quiet pressure from the outside upon the St. Petersburg government it might be induced to break the deadlock in the situation which results from the reluctance of each belligerent, as a matter of pride to making the first overtures for peace. But just at this point the efforts of the real friends of peace are said to have been negated by the fear of some of the European powers that their interests might suffer in a settlement which they did not themselves arrange. There is reason to believe, however, that the great financial interests of London, Berlin and Paris, looking to their salvation and the security of their enormous Russian loans, have risen above national lines and that to the exertion of their powerful influence is due the promise of peace in the near future.

Peary's New Vessel.

Bucksport, Me., March 24.—Commander Robert E. Peary's Arctic exploration steamship which has been launched here was designed by naval architect William E. Winant of New York, and it is claimed is the result of all that experience in Arctic navigation to this date can suggest. She is considered the strongest in construction, most powerful and best equipped craft for combating the Arctic ice ever built.

Red Cross Store

The Store that Has the Goods

Always Something New here

Muslin Underwear We are now showing a complete line of Muslin Underwear. These garments are all clean, fresh, nicely made and nicely trimmed of best materials, and are desirable in every way. Our prices bring them to you at about the cost of material and trimmings. We give a brief outline here. Come down and see them and be convinced of the bargains we are offering.

CORSET COVERS, full cut, well made and nicely trimmed with Swiss embroidery and lace. Sizes 32 to 42 at 19c
Corset covers, good quality, trimmed with embroidery and insertion at 48c

CORSET COVERS trimmed with beading and hemstitched ruffled, also one lot trimmed with Valenciennes edging and five rows of insertion at 68c
CORSET COVERS made of nainsook and cambric elaborately trimmed at 85c and 98c

SKIRTS, One lot of plain well made skirts, full width at 48c
SKIRTS with hem stitched tucks in India linen flounce extra good quality 98c

SKIRTS trimmed with dainty and exquisite patterns of lace and embroidery, ranging in price from \$1.48 to \$3.75

DRAWERS ranging in price from 19c to 98c
One special lot with tucks in hem-stitched ruffle at 19c

GOWNS. A nice assortment of gowns at prices that will interest the careful buyers.
ONE SPECIAL LOT nicely trimmed with V shaped and high cut neck at 48c

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Price to Everybody

Yours to serve,

E. V. Kotsch & Co.

The Red Cross Store
DRY GOODS, SHOES, CLOTHING.

CHITWOOD, THE TAILOR, FOR UP-TO-DATE CLOTHING, NEXT TO POSTOFFICE.

PAUL W. ALLEN,
Livery, Feed and Sale Stable.

Horses Boarded by Day or Week.
Satisfaction Guaranteed. Best of Service.

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South Townsend Ave., Phone 64.

The Touch That Tells is the Touch That Sells



Our Shoes for Women. The designer's touch and the shoemaker's touch, touch your feet and pocketbook lighter. They are especially strong in modern styles and travel in the best society.

CHAPMAN

Model Bakery....

Everything good to eat always on hand at the Model Bakery. Bread, Cakes, Pies, Cookies, Candies, Etc. See him opposite the postoffice.

J. A. ISLINGER, Prop. PHONE 124.

The Ada National Bank.

TOM HOPE, President. JNO. L. BARRINGER, Vice President
FRANK JONES, Cashier. ORVILLE SNEAD, Asst Cashier

Capital Stock, \$50,000.00
Undivided Profits, 20,200.00

Blanks Furnished and Remittances Made to the Government on Town Lots.

ADA, CHICKASAW NATION, IND. TER.



PROMOTED.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Indian Territory: Tonight fair, and warmer; Saturday fair.

Temperature.

The big thermometer in front of the News office registered today as follows:
At 8 a. m. 66
At 3 p. m. 74

LOCAL NEWS

Phone No. 1. 4-tf

Joe Deckert is in the Seminole nation looking after beef cattle.

See P. K. Smith for up-to-now photo work. 152-tf

Judge Barton is in Ardmore on business.

Alfalfa seed, Grays grain house.

L. C. Kendall, of Norman, Oklahoma, was in the city today.

The English Kitchen is doing business. House open every night until 12 o'clock. 3-4t.

Mrs. S. M. Kerr, who has been quite ill for some days, is reported improved.

Dr. O. M. Bisant, dentist, located in Conn-Little building, phone No. 185. 278-tf

Dr. Lisle and wife are entertaining J. E. White and wife, of Tishomingo.

Order your roasts and steaks at Joe Deckert's. He knows what good meat is. 299-tf

Prof. and Mrs. Hendrix are entertaining a sister of Mrs. Hendrix.

Aldrich & Rinard have a fine line of bulk garden seed. Sweet corn for early roasting ears. 1-12t

Judge Furman came in from Tishomingo this morning where he has been attending court.

Wear Dittman's shoes, the standard of merit for over half a century, sold by I. Harris. 277-tf

A new awning is being erected in front of the Dr. Nolen drug store.

We have a splendid line of skirts which we will make special prices on Monday, March 27. W. A. Alexander. 4-2t

Mrs. Geo. Rose returned to her home at Dallas, Texas, today after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Strain.

We will make a special sale next Monday, March 27, on lace, all-over lace and embroidery. W. A. Alexander. 4-2t

J. E. Terrell, of Paris, Texas, has opened a law office in the Duncan block. Mr. Terrell comes to us well recommended as an attorney and we extend to him the right hand of fellowship.

Everybody invited to call and examine the books in the public library. 4-3t

Get a numbered ticket at the News office for that sewing machine. Don't wait until it is too late and then tell your neighbors you intended to be in at the finish but forgot. tf

No Prizes

Go with our

Chase and Sanborn

HIGH GRADE
COFFEE

In fact nothing goes with our Coffee but Cream Sugar and Satisfaction.

R. S. TOBIN.

Helio No. 21

WHEN BUYING A SUIT

It is more important by far that you should consider HOW LONG that suit is going to HOLD ITS SHAPE than is the mere matter of color or pattern of cloth. Garments made by Rose & Company are noted for holding their shape longer and "looking like new" than any other tailors' make. Every order taken by Rose & Company the patterns are drafted to each customer's measurement with shears in the hands of master cutters.

If you anticipate ordering a suit for Easter, we would advise you to call early and be measured so that we can have plenty of time to finish it as it should be done.

SAMPLES OF WOOLENS ON EXHIBITION AT

I. HARRIS'

REMEMBER: FIT AND WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED OR NO PAY.

Don't fail to be at our special sale of lace, embroidery and all-over lace Monday, March 27. You can get some bargains. W. A. Alexander. 4-2t

Ben and Clifford Mason, W. W. Higgins and A. B. Yeager are out on Sandy on a fishing expedition.

Mrs. Zehner will entertain you at M. E. church tonight.

You can rent a book to read at the public library at Clark's Drug Store. 4-3t

Hear Mrs. Zehner at the M. E. church tonight.

Lem Little has sold his residence property in North Ada to Mrs. Scribner. Mr. Little will at once erect a house just east of the property sold and in the same block.

The public library does not belong to a private club but the city of Ada and is only in the custody of the XXth Century club until it becomes self-supporting. 4-3t

North Ada has an epidemic of tree planting. Many residents are setting out maples and other forest trees which, in time, will be greatly appreciated by the public as well as property owners.

Only a few days more and somebody will get a handsome high arm sewing machine. The News is going to give it away. Have you got a number? 4-tf

C. S. Owen, of Ada, is one of the leading delegates to the Farmers' Union, and he is also the territorial organizer for the American Society of Equity. He will probably become national organizer under H. B. Sherman, who is now located here. Mr. Owen is an able gentleman and one who is well posted. —Shawnee News.

This library belongs to the city of Ada. You help your home town when you are a patron besides helping yourself to 187 good books to read for \$1. 4-3t

Entertains.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Beard entertained a few friends at six o'clock dinner, the occasion being Mrs. Beard's birthday.

Mrs. Beard was the recipient of a number of handsome presents from friends and relatives.

Covers were laid for the following: Dr. and Mrs. Browall, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. McKinley, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hope and the host and hostess.

At a late hour the guests departed wishing the hostess many happy birthdays to come.

XXth Century Club Program.

Roll call—From Finland. Note Book.

History—Chapters VII-VIII, leader, Mrs. Snead.

Finnish Art—Mrs. McKinley. Table Talk—Report the number of library tickets sold by each member and discussion of ways to interest the people in the library, leader, Mrs. Pegues.

Hostess—Mrs. Lisle.

Attention!

Members of fire company will meet in court room Saturday night at 7:30 p. m. Full attendance urged. H. Browall.

Z. E. CHARLTON.

Dray and Transfer

Having bought the Dray Line of Gully & Tidwell, I am now prepared to handle your business in a first-class manner. Freight and Baggage Hauled

Compliments Ada.

Maj. J. P. Gutelius, the noted auctioneer of El Reno, Okla., conducted the lot sale in Sunrise addition to Ada on Thursday.

In his opening remarks he said in part: "I have conducted many auction sales in the two territories in the last four years. This, however, is the first opportunity I have had of seeing your town and visiting with your business men and learning of the enterprises of your beautiful city, with her substantial brick buildings and beautiful homes, which indicates to me that you have laid the foundation for a town that in the near future will be the leading town of the Indian Territory."

"But I am not surprised at your results, when I see the wonderful resources of the surrounding country."

"Here you grow abundance of high grade cotton, small grain, vegetables of every description, and the same may be said of fruit."

"A country that will always be productive owing to the nature of the soil (deep and rich) and the fact that you are located direct in the rain belt."

"Then again, your railroad facilities to the markets of the world. The Frisco connected with the great cities of the northeast and southwest. The M. K. & T. northwest and southeast. The two lines connecting with the great systems of this country."

"Those of you have invested capital in this city have cast your lot in pleasant places and I congratulate you."

"In productiveness and fertility of soil Indian Territory is unrivaled. All eyes of the rustling and speculative men of the states are directed towards the territory and when the great problem of statehood is settled to the satisfaction of the people of the two territories the greatest real estate boom will occur that was ever recorded in the history of any country."

The major is very clever and practical and sells rapidly.

We are After Your Business

To get it we are going to give you special inducements. Having adopted the spot cash system we can better afford this. We want to increase our already splendid trade, and if prices and quality will do it we will succeed. We quote a few:

Dr. Price's Food	10c
Vanilla Wafers	10c
3 lb best pkg crackers	25c
5 lb Banner Oats	20c
3 cans corn	25c
Heinz Olives, per bottle	30c
Heinz mustard	10c
3 lb Williams Bros. Apple Butter	10c
Lea & Perrin's Sauce	30c
7 bars Silk Soap	25c
Best California peaches per can	20c
Yacht Club salad dressing	25c
Arbuckle Coffee	15c

These prices will not last long. Better come quick. Remember, "Golden Gate" coffees, teas, spices and extracts are the finest in the world.

JONES & MEADERS,
THE GROCERS.

MARKET REPORTS.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, March 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,200; market steady; native steers, \$1.25 to \$1.50; southern steers, \$1.50 to \$1.75; southern cows, \$2.50 to \$2.75; native cows and heifers, \$2.00 to \$2.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.00 to \$2.50; bulls, \$2.50 to \$3.00; calves, \$2.50 to \$3.00; western fed steers, \$1.25 to \$1.50; western fed cows, \$1.25 to \$1.50.
Hogs—Receipts, 8,000; market 5c lower; bulk of sales, \$5.00 to \$5.25; heavy, \$5.25 to \$5.50; packers, \$5.10 to \$5.25; pigs and lights, \$4.25 to \$4.50.
Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market strong; muttons, \$1.00 to \$1.25; lambs, \$1.00 to \$1.25; range wethers, \$5.00 to \$5.25; fed ewes, \$4.00 to \$4.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, March 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,000; market steady; good to prime steers, \$5.00 to \$5.25; poor to medium, \$4.50 to \$4.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$2.75; calves, \$2.50 to \$3.00; hogs, \$5.00 to \$5.25; canners, \$2.75 to \$3.00; bulls, \$2.50 to \$3.00; calves, \$2.50 to \$3.00.
Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; market 5 to 10c lower; mixed and butchers, \$5.15 to \$5.25; rough heavy, \$5.00 to \$5.25; lights, \$5.15 to \$5.25; bulk of sales, \$5.00 to \$5.25.
Sheep—Receipts, 11,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, \$5.00 to \$5.25; poor to medium, \$4.50 to \$4.75; western sheep, \$5.00 to \$5.25; native lambs, \$5.00 to \$5.25; western lambs, \$5.00 to \$5.25.

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, March 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; market strong; beef steers, \$3.00 to \$3.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$2.75; cows and heifers, \$2.50 to \$2.75; Texas steers, \$3.00 to \$3.50; cows and heifers, \$2.50 to \$2.75.
Hogs—Receipts, 7,500; market lower; pigs and lights, \$4.25 to \$4.50; packers, \$5.00 to \$5.25; butchers and best heavy, \$5.25 to \$5.50.
Sheep—Receipts, 1,000; market steady; natives, \$1.00 to \$1.25; lambs, \$1.00 to \$1.25.

Omaha Live Stock.

Omaha, Neb., March 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,200; market lower; native steers, \$2.75 to \$3.00; cows and heifers, \$2.00 to \$2.50; canners, \$2.00 to \$2.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$2.75; calves, \$2.50 to \$3.00; bulls and stags, \$2.50 to \$3.00.
Hogs—Receipts, 2,000; market 5c lower; heavy, \$5.00 to \$5.25; mixed, \$4.75 to \$5.00; light, \$4.75 to \$5.00; pigs, \$4.25 to \$4.50; bulk of sales, \$4.75 to \$5.00.
Sheep—Receipts, 500; market steady; western ewings, \$5.00 to \$5.25; wethers, \$5.25 to \$5.50; lambs, \$5.00 to \$5.25.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, March 23.—Wheat—Close—Lower—May, 95¢; July, 90¢; Cash No. 2 hard, \$1.02 to \$1.04; No. 2, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 red, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 white, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 mixed, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 white, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 mixed, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 white, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 mixed, \$1.00 to \$1.02.

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, March 23.—Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.12 to \$1.14; No. 2 hard, \$1.02 to \$1.04; No. 2 white, \$1.02 to \$1.04; No. 2 mixed, \$1.02 to \$1.04; No. 2 white, \$1.02 to \$1.04; No. 2 mixed, \$1.02 to \$1.04; No. 2 white, \$1.02 to \$1.04; No. 2 mixed, \$1.02 to \$1.04.

St. Louis Cash Grain.

St. Louis, March 23.—Wheat—Close—Lower—May, \$1.02 to \$1.04; July, \$1.00 to \$1.02; Cash No. 2 hard, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 red, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 white, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 mixed, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 white, \$1.00 to \$1.02; No. 2 mixed, \$1.00 to \$1.02.

Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City, March 23.—Eggs—Fresh, 19¢ per dozen.
Butter—Creamery, extra, 26¢; dairy, 22¢; packing stock, 16¢; cheese, 12¢ to 14¢.
Poultry—Springs, 11¢ per pound; hen, 10¢; ducks, 9¢; turkey hens and young gobblers, 12¢; pigeons, 50¢ dozen; squabs, \$1.25 per doz.
Game—Ducks, Mallard, \$2.00 per dozen; teal, \$1.50; mixed, 50¢. Plover, per dozen, \$1.50.
Potatoes—Northern, per bushel, 35¢ to 40¢; sweets, per bushel, 35¢ to 40¢.
Fruit—Apples, \$1.00 to \$1.25 per barrel; oranges, \$2.50 to \$3.00 per box; lemons, \$2.75 to \$3.00 per box; peaches, \$1.50 to \$2.00 per box; strawberries, \$1.00 to \$1.25 per box; vegetables—Cabbage, 50¢ to \$1.15 per cwt; onions, \$1.00 to \$1.10.

Sprinkle the Streets.

The season of the year is now upon us when we should take notice of the fact that the streets need sprinkling.

Every merchant and every resident of Ada knows that during the past the dust fiend has been a hard thing to combat. Not a building in the city has been proof against it, and it even finds its way through the large plate glass show windows.

Now that that we have a sufficient amount of water, some one should take the matter in hand and provide a sprinkler. Several parties have contemplated doing so, but the one who first solicits the business men will get the contract. There is not a business man in town who would not gladly give up at least 50¢ per month for every twenty five foot store building and the city council would no doubt make a very low rate for water.

Now is the time for some one to get busy and a paper should be circulated at once and the system established.

Bill's Second Hand Store

Buy and sells all kinds of second hand goods.

Furniture Repairing a Specialty

Call and see us, or send in your broken furniture.

BILL'S SECOND HAND STORE.

One door west of Harris Hotel Sample Room.



HEALTH AND VITALITY

DR. MOTT'S NERVE-PILLS
The great iron and tonic pill and restorative for men and women, produces strength and vitality, builds up the system and renews the normal vigor, bringing health and happiness. 60 doses in a box. For sale by all druggists, or we will mail it, securely wrapped, on receipt of price, \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. Dr. Mott's Chemical Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

WANTS

WANTED:—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply at this office. 2-tf

FOR SALE.—A business lot on East Main. A bargain if taken soon. B. F. Talbot, at court house. 2-4t

FOR RENT.—Sixty five acres good land with house. U. G. Winn. 3-3w49-1t

WANTED:—Everybody to buy a subscription to the public library and get good new books to read. Price \$1 per year. 4-3t

Election Proclamation.

I, L. M. King, Mayor of the Town of Ada, by virtue of authority vested in me as such Mayor, do hereby proclaim and give public notice that an election shall be held in the town of Ada between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m., and sundown on the Fourth day of April, 1905 for the purpose of electing one mayor, one city attorney, one marshal, one recorder, tax assessor and tax collector, five aldermen, one street commissioner and one scavenger; and for the further purposes of voting upon the proposition as to whether the following described lands shall be annexed to and included in the corporate limits of the town of Ada; to wit:

S. E. 1 of N. E. 1 of Sec 32 T. 4 N. R. 6 E.
W. 1 of S. W. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec 33 T. 4 N. R. 6 E.
N. E. 1 of S. E. 1 of Sec 32 T. 4 N. R. 6 E.
E. 1 of S. E. 1 of S. E. 1 of Sec 32 T. 4 N. R. 6 E.
W. 1 of W. of S. W. 1 of Sec 33 T. 4 N. R. 6 E.
N. E. 1 of N. E. 1 of N. E. 1 of Sec 5, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.
W. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec 4, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.
S. E. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec 4, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.
S. 1 of N. E. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec 4, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.
The N. E. 1 of Sec 4, T. 3 N. R. 6 E. and the E. 1 of the E. 1 of Sec 33, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

That the place of holding said election shall be at the Mayor's office in said town.

That all qualified voters residing in said town six (6) months immediately preceding said election shall have the privilege to vote in said election.

Witness my hand and seal as Mayor of Ada, this 13th day of March, A. D., 1905.

L. M. King,
Mayor.

The C. A. Evans' Cab

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TO THE PUBLIC

Having opened up a new stock of Fresh Groceries throughout, we take this means of becoming acquainted with you.

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Our business will be conducted on One Price Spot Cash lines. Phone us, or better yet, call at the store and see how well we are able to serve you.

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Shaw's Nickel Store

Small Profits Quick Sales
Cash

A PENNY SAVED is two pennies earned. We changed the old saying somewhat, because it seems to me that these prices warrant the change. If you want anything for the kitchen come to me first. You can depend on it that I've got it at a penny-saving price.

Enameled Ware Specials.

WASH BASINS—Blue back ground with white mottling; you have paid 25c for something no better, costs you 15c.

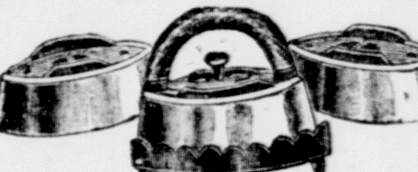
MILK PANS—4 qt. same quality enamel, 15c.

LIPPED SATCHEL PANS—2 qt. of same quality enamel, 15c.

DIPPERS—2 styles, cup dipper and Windsor dipper, of the same quality enamel, 15c.

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SAD IRONS—Mrs. Potts pattern, nickel plated, detachable handle and stand, 3 irons in set, 89c.



CROQUET SETS—4 ball sets, 59c. 6-ball sets, 98c.

BASE BALL BATS—Sluggers League, 50c. Junior League bats, 25c. small bats for little boys, for 15c.

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COME Gentle Spring. Thus sang the poet of long ago, and it comes usually on schedule time, so that garden will need looking after.

RAKES AND HOES—for garden use, 15c.

FORKED SPADES—a strong one, 69c.

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STOVE POLISH—5c.

BLUING—2-oz box Ball Blue for 5c.

MATCHES—What is called 1000's only 5c a box.

TALCUM POWDER—5c and 10c per box.

EXTRACTS—2 oz good quality lemon and vanilla 10c per bottle.

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COME HERE for anything you need in household and kitchen supplies.

COMPARE QUALITY.

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W. C. DUNCAN.
For Recorder, Assessor and Collector.
J. I. WARREN.
For Alderman.
B. A. MASON.
R. E. FOWLER.
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G. A. HARRISON.
MART WALSH.
For City Attorney.
B. C. KING.
For City Marshal.
L. E. MITCHELL.
For Street Commissioner.
J. D. GAAR.
For City Scavenger.
FRANK WHEELER.

Child is Killed.

South McAlester, I. T., March 24.—An accident, horrible in detail and most deplorable in nature, took place at the home of C. West, a farmer living about three miles east of Thackerville, Thursday, in which a father accidentally killed his own child.

Mr. West was entering his home carrying a shotgun when his little 4-year-old daughter ran to meet him. The hammer of the gun caught on the door-facing as he met the child and both barrels were discharged, blowing the entire head from the child's body.

\$1.00 will have the News left at your door for three months—and may be a sewing machine. 4tf

Speaking of Mrs. A. C. Zehner, Thos. B. Greenwood, attorney, of Palestine, Texas, pays her this compliment: "The power is bestowed on but few mortals to stir at will the tenderest emotion of grief or joy, of pride or shame, of an American audience. That she possesses this power in the very highest degree must be admitted by every one who has given her as much as a few moments' attention. I recall only one platform speaker in the United States whose utterances can be matched, from the standpoint of effectiveness, against hers, and Tennessee too can claim him—former Governor Bob Taylor."

A GALA DAY.

Sherman Will Do Herself Proud in Receiving President.

Special to Evening News.

Sherman, Tex., March 24.—"Sherman is surely getting on her glad rags," a party was heard to remark today in commenting on the arrangements in progress for the reception and entertainment of the president on his visit to the city April 5.

Thousands of yards of bunting, countless flags and buttons have been received and now await the decorating day. The school children are preparing to decorate the several school buildings and to take part in the plans proposed for receiving the president.

The committees are kept busy with these arrangements and in looking after the correspondence concerning the event which promises to draw the largest crowd ever assembled in Sherman.

Letters have been received from towns throughout North Texas and the territory requesting information as to rates and running of trains. The Katy and Cotton Belt have already authorized special train service with an excursion rate of one cent per mile, and other lines will follow suit, if their regular trains will not reach the city and get the people back to their homes in good time. Indications are that a number of specials may be necessary to handle the people, who will avail themselves of this opportunity to see and hear the president.

Tishomingo Fire Department.

Tishomingo, I. T., March 24.—

Following on the heels of the big fire the city council at a meeting held Wednesday ordered additional fire apparatus, including a hook and ladder truck, hose carts and additional hose.

At a well attended meeting held Wednesday night a fire department was organized. Thirty members were enrolled which will be increased to about fifty. C. E. Naylor was elected chief; H. P. Warfield, first assistant and James Wylie, second assistant.

Water Works and Cheaper

Fire Insurance : : : :

The cost of your fire insurance is an important item. It is also important that you insure in safe, reliable companies that pay their losses promptly without lawsuits. The true test of a company is its net surplus.

INVESTIGATE.

Continental Ins. Co., assets	\$14,543,153.32
Organized 1852, net surplus	6,756,982.00
Germania Fire Ins. Co., assets	6,352,700.75
Organized 1859, net surplus	2,839,222.00
German of Freeport, assets	5,516,127.97
Organized 1865, net surplus	1,728,767.00
Milwaukee Mechanics' assets	2,025,267.29
Organized 1862, net surplus	1,304,062.00
Northwestern National, assets	3,815,284.44
Organized 1869, net surplus	1,145,025.00

These companies have the age, assets and surplus.

FARM AND CITY LOANS.
ABSTRACT OF TITLE.

BRALEY & EBEL.

Notice of Election.

Notice is hereby given that at an adjourned meeting of the Town Council of the Incorporated town of Ada, I. T., on February 22, 1905, the following resolution was adopted, viz:

Whereas, The town of Ada has grown in number of inhabitants until there are thickly settled districts in almost every direction, outside of and beyond the corporate limits of said town, and

Whereas, said districts are contiguous to said town, and are situated within the Southern District of the Indian Territory and

Whereas, It is necessary and proper that proper police, sanitation, and other regulations be enforced in said populous districts, and

Whereas, The inhabitants of said outside sections are deprived of public school benefits, being outside of the corporate limits of said town, and non-taxpayers therein, and now therefore be it Resolved by the board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Incorporated town of Ada, that it is the desire of the municipal corporation of Ada to annex to said municipal corporation the following contiguous territory, to wit:

S. E. 1 of N. E. 1 of Sec. 32, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

W. 1 of S. W. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec. 33, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

N. E. 1 of S. E. 1 of Sec. 32, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

E. 1 of S. E. 1 of S. E. 1 of Sec. 32, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

W. 1 of W. 1 of S. W. 1 of Sec. 33, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

N. E. 1 of N. E. 1 of N. E. 1 of Sec. 5, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.

W. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec. 4, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.

S. E. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec. 4, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.

S. 1 of N. E. 1 of N. W. 1 of Sec. 4, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.

N. E. 1 of Sec. 4, T. 3 N. R. 6 E.

E. 1 of E. 1 of Sec. 33, T. 4 N. R. 6 E.

Resolved that the Recorder is hereby directed to give immediate notice, by publication, to the voters of the Incorporated town of Ada, that the question of whether or not they desire said contiguous territory to be added to said corporation, will be submitted to the said voters at the regular April, 1905, election.

Adopted this the 22nd day of February, 1905.

I. M. King, Mayor.

Attest

G. F. Johnson, Recorder.

Now, therefore, in obedience to the term of the above and foregoing resolution, the legal electors of the Incorporated town of Ada are hereby notified that at the Mayor's office at the regular annual election on Tuesday, April 4, 1905, an election will be held to determine whether or not the voters of the town of Ada, desire the annexation of the territory described in said Resolution to the corporate limits to the town of Ada.

Given under my hand this February 23, 1905.

G. F. Johnson, Recorder.

Child Drowns in Pool.

Temple, Ok., March 24.—The little 3-year-old child of Mr. Dixon, while playing near a small pool of water fell into it face down, it being so small it could not get up. It is not known how long it was in the water, for when it was removed there was no warmth about it. Doctors were called, but too late.

Territory Notes.

The Daily Chieftain says Vinita wants a man for mayor, and prints the word man in capital letters.

The latest proposed railroad in the territory is a line from Vinita to Coffeyville, Kan. The promoters will endeavor to build it with subscriptions to stock of the road by people living along the route.

In describing the war on dogs in that town the Durant Daily News says: "Chief Bledsoe 'nailed' a dozen worthless pups last week. He must do better this week. Shoot, chief, or give up your gun."

Ke ne kah, an aged Osage Indian, recently had his picture taken for the first time. The old warrior displayed as much vanity as a sixteen-year-old girl in making preparations for his interview with the photographer. He diked himself out in all the finery at his command and threw his chest out like a truly noble red man.

The Muskogee street railway has placed on sale three kinds of reduced rate tickets. The first is for general use and is a book containing twenty-two tickets for \$1.00. The second is school children's tickets at the rate of forty for \$1.00. The third is for employees at the same rate as for school children.

The Nowata Star contains an account of a colt born near that town which is a freak of nature. The animal is perfectly formed in all respects except that it has no front legs. At last accounts it was alive and doing well. The owner of the colt has rigged up a swing which serves in the place of fore legs and by this arrangement the deformed animal is able to nurse.

BUSY BEE NO MORE.

N. G. Hutsel and Family Leave For Okeene.

N. G. Hutsel and family, who, for the past few months have operated the Busy Bee restaurant, left on the afternoon Katy for Okeene, Oklahoma, and with their going closes one of the best restaurants in the history of the town.

The Busy Bee was conducted on lines that would satisfy the most fastidious, but there was not enough patronage of this character to justify the expense of the house, hence the removal. There is no use in mincing words when we say that such a cafe as was conducted by these estimable people deserved a much better patronage. While we do not believe in breaking up a home and taking our meals in a public restaurant, we do believe it is a good policy to take an occasional meal at a hotel or restaurant, not only for the sake of patronizing and encouraging a worthy industry, but to give ourselves a change of diet.

We are sorry to lose this family as they were well thought of in all circles. Ada has lost some good people and the town is the worse for it.

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Send for

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Hair Cut 25c & Shave 10c.
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Call on Winn & Giles, Architects and Builders, Office Hentley & Bliss Bldg. Work open for inspection. We complete your building from the specifications to the door key.

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Bear the imprint of first-class workmanship. While our prices are reasonable our finished article shows the handiwork of a true artist. Get in front of our camera and we will do the rest.

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PLUMBING

When you want estimates on your plumbing fixtures, bath tubs, range boilers, kitchen sinks, wash basins, rubber and cotton hose, see

W. S. NELSON,

THE PLUMBER.
Next door to Carney's Livery Barn.
He will give you the

Lowest Estimates..

Phone No. 194.

Coal

We now have on hand the best Coal yet received in Ada. Better lay in your Winter supply before the price advances. : : : : CASH ON DELIVERY.

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Get a ticket on the sewing machine. Don't be too late about it.

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Time is now at hand and you will want a new carpet for that room. We have the best line of carpet samples and at a less price than was ever shown in Ada. We also have a beautiful line of matting which we have been selling at a closer price than has ever been put on the same class of goods. Call and see our new stock of furniture. When you see the goods and know the prices, you will be a customer of ours.

ADA FURNITURE AND COFFIN COMPANY.

THE ICE CREAM SEASON

Is now at hand and you should remember that the

Elite Confectionery

Is better prepared than ever to wait upon you. Many new and delicious drinks are dispensed. : : : :

Call and get a Dish of Our Cream.

Its good for that Fired Feeling.

HARRIS LIQUOR HOUSE

NO. 9 EAST MAIN STREET

SHAWNEE, OKLAHOMA

Sam Harris, formerly of the Kentucky Liquor House, is again in business and will be glad to meet all his old friends at his new place of business, the Harris Liquor House, No. 9 East Main Street

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HARRIS RYE \$3.25
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THE STYLES embrace all the latest creations known to the art, and comprise all the new shapes and styles.

These goods are reasonably priced, and are within the reach of the most conservative buyer. See the goods before the selection is broken. Miss Pearl Kee has charge of this department, assisted by Miss Rosa Burns, who will be pleased to have you inspect the goods.

Reed & Harrison.

WILL HELP WARSHIPS.

Hamburg-American Line Equipped a Vessel With an Invention to Overcome the Rolling Motion.

Berlin, March 24.—The Hamburg-American line is building a new steamer at the Vulcan works at Stettin which will be fitted out with an invention of Otto Shick, an engineer of Hamburg, which it is expected will reduce the rolling of vessels at sea to a minimum. It consists of a massive balance wheel mounted in such a manner as to counteract the shifting of the center of gravity of the ship. The invention hitherto has only been tested in connection with models, but the Hamburg-American officials are so convinced of its utility that they are advancing money and loaning a vessel for a trial which will take place in June or July. Naval engineers regard the invention as likely to be of the greatest use to warships in adding to the stability of the gun platforms.

Samar Uprising Under Control.

Manila, March 24.—Gen. Allen, of the constabulary, in command of the federal troops in the island of Samar, reports that the uprising among the Pulajanes is now under control, and that the majority of the regular troops will be withdrawn.

Elevator Fire at Alton, Ill.

Alton, Ill., March 24.—One of the elevators of the Sparks Milling company was burned and the greater part of 55,000 bushels of wheat in the elevator ruined. Total loss, \$60,000.

DARING DASH FOR LIBERTY.

A. T. Bell, a Convicted Mail Pouch Robber Succeeds in Escaping From Authorities.

Tacoma, Wash., March 24.—Albert F. Bell, one of the most noted mail-pouch robbers in the United States has made a successful dash for liberty at the United States prison on McNeil's island and escaped into the heavy woods near the prison. Bell covered his tracks so thoroughly that all trace of him was lost soon after entering the timber and a general alarm was turned in at the prison, guards being sent out to scour the woods and guard all avenues of escape from the island. The bloodhounds at the prison were immediately pressed into service.

Serious agrarian disturbances have occurred at Kulno. It is reported that the military fired on peasants and that several of the latter were killed or wounded.

Upper Mississippi Open.

Lacrosse, Wis., March 24.—Navigation has opened on the Mississippi river, the ice on the upper river going out in a general movement. The opening of navigation is a week earlier than last year.

Russia's Internal Loan.

St. Petersburg, March 24.—The internal loan of \$100,000,000 has been signed. The price of issue is 86 and the bonds are redeemable in 50 years.

Queen Alexandra, of Great Britain, received a hearty welcome on her arrival at Lisbon.

THE BEEF TRUST INQUIRY

Federal Grand Jury at Chicago Has Commenced Examination of Witnesses.

ARMOURS' MANAGER IS QUESTIONED.

Was Before the Inquisitors for Two Hours, but Refused to Disclose What Occurred in the Jury Room—Woman Stenographer Not to Be Examined—Only Fifty Witnesses to Testify.

Chicago, March 24.—R. C. Howe, general manager of the Armour Packing plant at Omaha, was questioned by the federal grand jury investigating alleged beef trust. He was before the inquisitors two hours. Passing through groups of secret service agents at the jury room door, he was given his witness fees and said he would return at once to Omaha. He declined to discuss what took place in the jury room, remarking smilingly that he was forbidden absolutely to talk. Asked whether he was questioned on alleged preference given by railroads to members of the alleged beef trust, he shook his head and preserved silence.

A report that Miss C. A. Dinock, stenographer for Armour & Company, would be called as a witness is denied by Edward St. Clair, who is in charge of gathering evidence in the case.

Three hundred witnesses in all were called. Not more than 50 will be asked to testify, it is said. The others may be held for use as witnesses in case indictment are returned by the grand jury and the case comes to trial.

A branch office manager for Armour & Company at Jersey City, N. J., was recalled. The auditor in the Armour New York office followed. It developed that secret service men meet incoming trains which carry witnesses, the purpose being to prevent conferences between outside branch house men and heads of the packing houses here.

CALLS IT OVERPRODUCTION.

General Counsel for Standard Oil Company in Topeka to Interview Gov. Hoch.

Topeka, Kan., March 24.—Alfred J. Eddy, of Chicago, general counsel for the Standard Oil company, has arrived in Topeka, and will consult with Gov. Hoch and Attorney General Coleman regarding the Kansas oil situation. Mr. Eddy says that the Standard's position is governed by the law of supply and demand and that as the Kansas daily production of oil has exceeded 26,000 barrels a day and the Standard can refine but 8,000 barrels a day, from the Kansas field that the Standard can not take all the oil offered. He says the building of a refinery by the state will not help matters but that when the fields in Indiana and Ohio are exhausted more oil will be taken from Kansas.

Still After the Russians.

Gunshui, Pass, Manchuria, March 24.—The Japanese are following the Russian rear guard which is moving north from Santoupi at the rate of eight and a half miles a day. On both flanks the Japanese are operating a wide turning movement but the strength of the flanking forces has not been definitely ascertained.

ATTEST THEIR SORROW.

Twenty Thousand Citizens of Brockton, Mass. Join in Funeral Services of Explosion Victims.

Brockton, Mass., March 24.—Public funeral services were held Thursday for more than two score of persons who lost their lives last Monday in the explosion and fire which created the greatest calamity in the history of the city and one of the greatest New England has known. Twenty thousand of Brockton's inhabitants work in the great shoe factories of the city, and all that vast number joined in the public manifestation of sorrow. Sixty factories closed their doors. Business so far as possible was suspended. Street cars did not run during the funeral services, and traffic on the streets was almost entirely stopped. Everywhere flags at half-mast and buildings draped with long black streamers attested to the presence of a great universal bereavement. Marching bodies of silent men, accompanied by bands and drum corps playing dirges for the dead, evidenced the general sympathy with those left behind by the men and women who went to work Monday morning and never returned to their homes.

During the forenoon the bodies of the 55 victims recovered from the factory ruins were placed in caskets. Three public funeral services were arranged, one at the city theater, another at the Porter Congregational church, the third at St. Paul's Episcopal church.

Missouri's Claim Paid.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 24.—A check on the United States treasury for \$475,196.13, payable to the governor of Missouri, has been received by Gov. Folk. No letter or explanation accompanied the warrant. According to the government's custom, however, a letter will follow from another department in a few days telling that the money is to reimburse the state for expenditures during Governor Gamble's administration in equipping and maintaining Federal troops during the Civil war.

Vulcanizer Explodes in Chicago.

Chicago, March 24.—Terrifying hundreds of shoppers in State street, a rubber vulcanizer in the workshop of a dental manufacturing firm on the top floor of the Dyche building, at Randolph and State streets, exploded, crashed through the skylight of the building, ascending 50 feet into the air and dropped to the pavement. No person was injured but a number had narrow escapes.

For an Independent Refinery.

Chanute, Kan., March 24.—It is announced here that a contract for an eight-inch pipe line from the Chanute oil field to Kansas City, where it is proposed to erect an independent refinery, has been let by J. B. Levy, formerly of Ohio, representing Eastern capital, to a company at Kansas City for \$211,000, work to commence in forty days from date.

Refuses to Register Bonds.

Topeka, Kan., March 24.—State Auditor Wells has announced that he would refuse to register the state oil refinery bonds until ordered to by the supreme court. This will force an immediate test of the legality of the bonds. The auditor's action is friendly and is taken for the purpose of giving the bonds a proper standing.

To the Public

For the best Sewing Machine for the least money.
For Screen Wire, for Ponty Wire,
For Harness and Saddles,
For Cultivator Plows,
For Cooking Stoves,
For Corrugated Iron,
For the best Corn and Cotton Planters made,
For Well Casing Flues, Tanks, House Guttering,
For any old kind of new hardware, see

A. L. NETTLES. AT THE PIONEER HARDWARE STORE.

New Jewelry House.

We have just opened a New Stock of Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Rings, Charms and Chains in the Moss & Scribner room on East Main street. Our goods are the best grade that money can buy and our prices are RIGHT. To advertise our goods we will give a handsome GOLD CHAIN to the first lady who buys one of our Guaranteed Gold Watches. We bar no one and the first purchaser gets the chain.

Repair Work Guaranteed YEARGAIN & TABER.

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I have opened a first class Blacksmith and Woodworking shop, where repairing of all kinds will be done right. I also do general plow work and guarantee all work. My shoeing is done on correct methods and shoes are made to fit the foot. Honest work at reasonable prices is my motto.

Yours for Business,

J. H. PRICE, At City Shop

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You cannot afford to do without Dr. Roscher's German Syrup in the house if any of your family have a consumptive tendency, or if catarrhs, colds or bronchial affections are frequent visitors. German Syrup is a recognized and reliable remedy for consumption and the finest thing on earth for the throat and lungs. It will promptly check colds and is an infallible remedy for croup. German Syrup will keep the children healthy. Trial bottle, 25c. Big bottle 75c. At Clark Drug Co.

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The Red Star Confectionery.

With the ADA CANDY WORKS, now have ready their

Ice Cream and Cold Drinks.

Their ICE CREAM is manufactured from Pure Jersey Cream, and is most delicious.

CALL AND SEE US. WE WILL TREAT YOU RIGHT

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CHAMBLESS' STORE NEWS

The Grandest Collection of Highly Desirable Spring Goods

Can be found at this store. There is no question with those who are posted where to get their new Spring Dress Goods. Our line this season surpasses all previous efforts. If it is Style and Satisfaction that you want do not miss seeing our stock, for we are sure to please you. We have on exposition all the latest creations in Washable and Woolen Fabrics, which are the acme of perfection and beauty.

Wash Dress Goods.

India Linnin 10c to 40c
Figured Lawns 5c to 25c
Beautiful Line Batist, worth 25c our price 20c
An elegant line of Grecian Voils, special price 25c
We have placed on the bargain counter two bolts of Homesyn in blue and pink.
Regular price 25c special 15c
We are showing the prettiest line of A F C Gingham ever seen in Ada. 10c

Our entire line of Kenico Percels reduced to 7c

Spring Weight Woolen Fabrics.

One piece trio color Mohair 65c
One piece grey Pekin 50c
One piece Melange Vestal 65c
One piece grey Mohair 75c
One piece light Meritain in delicate blue 65c
One piece black and grey Mohair suiting 1.00
One piece Mohair sheppard checked suiting at 65c

Trimmings.

We have the handsomest line of trimmings ever shown in the city. Appliques from 10c to \$2.00 per yard.
The prettiest assortment of embroidery and insertions. All widths and prices to be found here.
Our stock of genu French valencienne laces and insertions are beautiful from 7 1/2 to 25c per yard.

Never before in the history of this store were we better able to give you some extra good values in table linen. Our price in this line range from 30c to \$2.00 per yard.

We can furnish bed spreads, plain and fringed in white, pink and blue, lace curtains, linen huck and crash towels, sheets and pillow cases at prices at prices unusually low.

We Have Everything you want. If you will visit our Store we will show you the goods and guarantee the prices. Respectfully,

T. J. CHAMBLESS.